



PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Steiner et al. Examiner: Kerr K. M.  
Serial No.: 09/449,817 Group Art Unit: 1652  
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Title: ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID ENCODING P-HYDE PROTEIN AND  
METHODS OF INDUCING SUSCEPTIBILITY TO INDUCTION OF  
CELL DEATH IN CANCER

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 5, 2004 COMMUNICATION**

Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Telephone Communication with the Examiner of April 28, 2004, in connection with the above-identified Application. The Examiner requested that Applicants amend the response submitted to a March 5, 2004, Office Action, which was due May 5, 2004, with a concurrent filing of a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time, and the required fee, therefore, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: